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## REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114

MAIL STOP RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR § 1.114 of patent application Serial No. 10/049,362, filed on February 6, 2002, and entitled TUNABLE LASER SOURCE WITH INTEGRATED OPTICAL MODULATOR, in which no payment of the issue fee, abandonment of, or termination of proceedings has occurred.

- $\boxtimes$ An Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 is attached. (Claims added by this amendment have been properly numbered consecutively beginning with the number next following the highest numbered original claim in the prior application.)
- X The fee has been calculated as shown below in the "Claims as Filed" table.

#### CLAIMS PRESENT

Claims Remaining:	Highest Number Previously Paid For:	Number Extra		Rate		Fee
Basic Filing Fee (Basic national fee + Examination fee + Search fee)						\$790.00
Total Claims						
26	26	0	х	\$25.00	=	\$0,00
Independent Claims						
3	3	0	x	\$100.00	=	\$0.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLA	IM FEE					\$0.00
TOTAL FILING FEE						\$790.00

- $\boxtimes$ A charge to the Deposit Account identified below in the amount of \$790.00 to cover the RCE Filing Fees (Large Entity).
- 冈 Address all future communications to the Attention of George H. Gates at Gates & Cooper LLP, Howard Hughes Center, 6701 Center Drive West, Suite 1050, Los Angeles, California 90045, Telephone: (310) 641-8797.

Please consider this a PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME for a sufficient number of months to enter these papers, if appropriate.

(PTO TRANSMITTAL - FILING UNDER 37 CFR §1.114)

Please charge all fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0494 of Gates & Cooper LLP. A duplicate of this paper is enclosed.

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